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REPORT
OF THE
AUDITORS
OF THE

TOWN OF GRAFTON,

FOR THE YEAR EDNING MARCH 1, 1869.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, your Auditors for the town of Grafton for the year ending February 27, 1869, having examined the prudential affairs of said town, now ask leave to submit the following report:

Cash received by the Selectmen.

Received of the Selectmen for the year 1867,	\$351.34
the County Treasurer,	290.02
State treasurer, railroad tax,	456.99
“ literary fund,	40.68
“ Savings Bank dividends,	196.65
United States bounties,	240.00
Town treasurer,	2,367.10
Town of Croydon,	9.50
Horace Barney, administrator of A. R.	
Kimball Estate,	26.34
A. M. Shackford, school house tax in	
District No. 11,	170.00
Mrs. Tenney,	10.00
Sales on poor farm for year 1868,	95.37
G. W. Murray on execution against Asa	
Martin, 1868,	26.58
Cash hired for use of town,	2,542.62
A. G. Hoyt, balance on State Tax, 1867,	546.53

Which sums added, make the sum of \$7,369.72

NEW HAMPSHIRE
STATE LIBRARY

Disbursements by the Selectmen.—Notes paid.

Paid O. K. Bucklin, note,	\$1123.60
Joel Blackman, note,	139.85
Perry Martin note,	210.01
“ “	212.10
Martin Peirce,	104.78
Jesse Martin,	175.66
Lydia Whitney,	212.10
Jason and Abby Saunders,	198.52
Horace Mason, in part on note,	150.00
Ira Martin, note,	209.00

Which sums added, make the sum of \$2,735.62

Miscellaneous Bills.

Paid B. W. Sanborn for books and warrants,	\$4.12
A. Williams, for surveying road,	.75
Martin Peirce, for work on highway,	12.00
J. E. Martin, store bill,	1.80
H. Trewell, for plank,	7.65
E. Barney & Son, store bill,	16.90
W. C. Buffum, produce furnished poor farm, and balance use of farm for 1867,	252.11
R. Whittier, for deposition,	2.00
“ for blanks,	1.00
H. Trewell, for work on highway,	8.00
Jona. Bucklin, plank for highway,	1.00
I. P. Mason, for repairing highway,	1.45
J. G. Whitcomb, taking depositions,	1.50
G. W. Frazier, produce for poor farm,	31.50
Jesse Cop, flour for Maxwell family,	14.10
McFarland & Jenks, for printing town reports for 1868,	21.25
J. E. Martin & Co., store bill for P. Lemorch,	23.40
for car fare to Vermont for P. Lemorch,	17.85
H. H. Emerson, for keeping Mrs. Daniel Heath,	80.00
H. A. Weymouth, doctoring D. Heath's wife,	46.66
Mrs. Daniel Heath, car fare and expense,	2.00
H. Pixley, fare to county farm,	2.75
Lord & Salloway, for counsel,	4.00
I. Riddle, for work on highway,	12.00
Town of Sutton, for Mitchell child,	1.00
J. Webster, for repairing boots for Pixley,	.95

Paid A. M. Shackford, car fare for Joseph Meatt,	16.85
S. W. Barney, for bridge plank,	7.50
E. G. Haskins, blacksmith bill from 1866 to 1869,	21.00
Charles Stickney, to work on highway,	3.00
S. Cole, for shearing sheep on town farm,	2.00
J. R. Smith, for bridge plank,	12.96
J. H. Clifford, for board and work haying on R. Heath farm,	11.75
Town of Croydon, for support of Spooner family,	47.83
C. H. Smith, haying on R. Heath farm,	2.00
D. L. Straw, bridge stringers,	4.00
Barney & Sanborn, one barrel phosphate of lime,	8.65
O. J. Kimball, for haying on town farm,	10.07
Town of Enfield, for support of Mrs. Tenney's child,	28.85
S. George, for work on highway,	20.00
Witnesses in Martin road case,	14.99
Paid P. Kimball, for plank and work on highway,	31.00
Town of Danbury, for support of Geo. Martin,	29.58
Constant Gile, for work on highway for the years 1867 and 1868,	8.94
Nicholas Bean, for work on highway,	22.00
B. W. Sanborn, for check lists,	1.65
Jona. Bucklin, school house tax in Dist. No. 11,	170.00
T. Carver, for repairing boots for the poor,	2.40
S. W. Barney, for plank and stringers,	21.18
G. W. Frazier, for cow for poor farm,	35.00
J. W. Kilton, for plank for highway,	33.63
D. B. Smith, for work on highway,	7.00
J. P. Bullock, for work on highway,	1.25
P. Pecoy, for work on highway,	5.29
A. B. Hoyt, for doctoring J. Sleeper family,	5.50
S. Hale, one heifer for poor farm,	23.00
Asa Martin, road damage,	60.00
C. Garland, one heifer for poor farm,	18.00
A. Martin, for bridge timber,	3.00
H. Barney, for bridge timber,	3.30
M. Staples, for heifer for poor farm,	29.50
S. Fellows, for heifer for poor farm,	36.00
G. W. Davis, for drawing wood for town house,	.25
N. Riddle for wood for town house,	3.25
A. M. Barney, for bridge plank,	1.04
G. W. Conant, for use of R. Heath farm,	30.00
J. G. Whitcomb, for taking depositions, &c.,	9.25

Paid F. Clifford, for hiring on R. Heath farm,	4.00
J. F. Clough, for road damage,	11.00
Charles Barney, two days haying on the Richard Heath farm,	4.00
Byron Fellows, two days haying on the R. Heath farm,	4.00
B. Fellows, two days on poor farm,	4.40
J. E. Martin & Co., store bill for poor farm,	107.17
Horace Barney, store bill for poor farm,	81.03
J. E. Martin & Co., goods delivered to R. Heath,	11.00
J. E. Martin & Co., goods delivered to William Maxwell,	18.99
Horace Barney, for use of public watering trough,	3.00
J. E. Martin & Co., goods delivered Joseph Sleeper family,	2.56
J. E. Martin & Co., for flour for poor farm, the several school districts,	92.00
J. E. Martin & Co., goods furnished William Maxwell,	1118.64
Dr. J. W. Pray, for doctoring A. Powell, Harmony Walker and A. Caswell,	3.98
C. Kimball, for goods furnished poor farm,	15.00
Jesse Cass, for goods and meal delivered Mrs. J. Sleeper,	15.54
J. Cass, for meal delivered to Wm. C. Buffum,	3.00
Sewell Hale, for repairing bridge,	2.33
Jesse Cass, for meal for poor farm for 1868,	1.00
Geo. Hoyt, for butter for poor farm,	24.85
Daniel Follansbee, for expense to Plymouth in pauper case,	5.60
Daniel Follansbee, for services as moderator for 1868,	10.00
Ira Putney, for bridge plank,	3.00
Henry Ford, for plank and repairing bridge, &c.,	15.56
Elias Powers, for making out papers in Spooner case,	11.60
F. R. Chase, for taking depositions,	1.50
G. W. Murray, for council in A. Martin case,	3.00
J. W. Kilton, services as town clerk,	98.18
A. B. Hoyt, for doctoring J. Sleeper family,	10.00
A. B. Hoyt, services as S. S. Committee,	9.00
B. Fellows, expense bill,	40.00
B. Fellows, for paper and stamps,	50.00
	8.60

Paid B. Fellows, for poor persons,	5.00
J. W. Pray, for medical attendance on Mrs. Willoby's girl,	14.00
G. W. Frazier, in part for services and use of farm for 1868,	200.00
G. W. Frazier, for money paid out on poor farm,	14.93
G. Sulloway, for plank and labor on highway,	4.00
B. Fellows, assistance to poor persons,	2.00
B. Fellows, for paper and pens,	.42
Stephen Fellows, for blacksmith work for poor farm,	9.03
J. P. Prescott, for public watering trough,	3.00
F. Caswell, for repairing barrel,	.50
R. Frost, for plank and stringer,	3.02
J. P. Saunders, for plank and repairing bridge,	18.01
J. L. Langley, expense for perambulating line between Grafton and Canaan,	.50
J. L. Langley, for work on highway,	2.00
Byron Fellows, for services as selectman,	121.00
Daniel Follansbee, " "	48.00
J. L. Langley, " "	47.00
Horace Barney, services as treasurer,	8.00
Horace Barney, services as auditor,	3.00
Joseph B. Page, " "	3.00
J. P. Prescott, " "	3.00

Which sums, added, make the sum of \$6408.76

Which sum, taken from the above sum, leaves the sum of \$960.96

in the Selectmen's hands, as available means of said town.

Outstanding Claims against the Town.

Note due Nancy Barney, dated July 4, 1863,	\$909.02
Fanny Hoyt, dated Dec. 25, 1862,	406.47
Fanny Hoyt, dated Jan. 3, 1868,	417.12
Constant Gile, dated Dec. 26, 1863,	206.65
Martha J. Shackford, dated Dec. 29, 1863,	101.36
Caroline Tabor, dated Dec. 27, 1862,	81.05
Isaac Bullock, dated Feb. 11, 1864,	217.85
Joseph B. Page, dated July 5, 1864,	172.18
" " " dated August 14, 1867,	120.31
John Hoyt, dated July 5, 1864,	131.21
" " dated August 15, 1867,	218.78
John P. Bullock, dated July 7, 1864,	157.54

Benjamin Martin, dated July 7, 1864,	481.99
“ “ “ March 28, 1866,	1,590.00
Edward E. Follansbee, dated Aug. 15, 1864,	260.69
“ “ “ Oct. 13, 1865,	242.96
Alzina Davis, dated Sept. 21, 1864,	103.26
Samuel Hoyt, dated Oct. 22, 1864,	1,237.27
Archibald Ford, dated Oct. 26, 1864,	258.79
Mary C. & W. C. Haskins, dated Dec. 1, 1864,	57.65
Myra Adams, dated Dec. 30, 1864,	63.15
Martin Davis, dated April 12, 1865,	229.44
Dorathy Spalding, dated Sept. 13, 1865,	861.92
Harvey Colby, dated Oct. 13, 1865,	612.41
Sylvia Cole, dated April 3, 1866,	118.53
Israel Smith, dated April 14, 1866,	272.12
Martin Davis, dated April 16, 1866,	473.26
John Page, dated March 23, 1867,	139.92
Sewell Cole, dated March 23, 1867,	225.80
Lovica Cole, dated March 23, 1867,	111.93
Perry Martin, dated Dec. 26, 1863,	415.47
“ “ “ Aug. 13, 1864,	293.28
“ “ “ Feb. 7, 1865,	252.03
“ “ “ Aug. 29, 1867,	136.47
James Martin, dated April 10, 1867,	402.01
Daniel Straw, dated April 19, 1867,	354.77
Jonathan L. Langley, April 29, 1867,	345.03
Rhoda Tyler, dated June 3, 1867,	165.33
James Colcord, dated Aug. 26, 1867,	655.34
Samuel Stevens, dated Aug. 26, 1867,	109.18
Ezra T. Gifford, dated Sept. 2, 1867,	108.65
G. W. Wells, dated Oct. 26, 1867,	178.39
Jarvis Barney, dated Nov. 4, 1867,	324.36
Horace Mason, dated Jan. 28, 1868,	128.00
Charles Davis, dated Jan. 25, 1868,	628.52
J. H. Morse, dated Feb. 18, 1868,	849.12
Ebenezer Hoyt, dated March 21, 1868,	1,055.00
E. T. Gifford, dated April 3, 1868,	184.84
Moses Barney, dated May 16, 1868,	156.75
Selinda M. Barney, dated June 10, 1868,	31.21
Hannah L. Walker, dated June 10, 1868,	78.22
Perry Martin, dated Sept. 11, 1868,	720.95
Lydia Whitney, dated Nov. 3, 1868,	216.00
Abby Saunders, dated Jan. 16, 1869,	200.00

Which amounts added make the sum of

\$18,469.55

Amount due the several School Districts,	47.00
Amount of Literary Fund due the several School Districts,	40.68
Amount of Railroad Tax due the several School Districts,	152.33
Amount due A. F. Hoyt, for collecting tax in 1865, 1866, and 1867.	105.60
Balance due G. W. Frazier, use of farm,	100.00
Estimate outstanding claims against the Town,	50.00

Which sums, added, make the sum of \$18,965.16

Which is the whole indebtedness of the town.

The taxes assessed for the year 1868, including state, county, town, school house and non-resident highway, and swellage on the same, and committed to A. M. Shackford for collection, \$6,666.71

Paid State tax,	1,693.75
County tax,	756.00
Abatements on taxes,	76.96
Non-resident taxes worked out,	6.08
School district No. 11,	150.00
Town treasurer,	3,475.00

Which sums added, make the sum of \$6,157.79

Which sum taken from that raised, leaves the sum of 508.92 now due on the collector's bonds for the year 1868.

Due on the collector's bonds for the year 1867,	\$472.76
“ “ “ 1866,	257.72
“ “ “ 1865,	215.08
Due from the County for the support of paupers,	250.00
Note due from Jedediah Colby,	140.45
In town treasurer's hands,	1366.79
In the selectmen's hands,	960.96
Due from Byron Fellows, error in the book, 1867,	47.00

Which sums added make the sum of \$4,219.68

Which, taken from the total indebtedness, leaves the sum of \$14,745.42

Which is the indebtedness of the town over and above available means.

Town Officers' Bills.

Byron Fellows, 1st selectman,	\$121.00
Daniel Follansbee, 2d "	48.00
Jonathan L. Langley, 3d "	47.00
J. W. Kilton, town clerk,	10.00
Horace Barney, treasurer,	8.00
A. B. Hoyt, Sup't School Committee,	40.00
A. M. Shackford, collector,	55.00
Horace Barney, auditor,	3.00
Joseph B. Page, "	3.00
J. Plummer Prescott, "	3.00

We, your auditors, now submit the foregoing report, and would say that we find the books in a satisfactory condition, and all charges well vouched for.

HORACE BARNEY,	} Auditors	for the year 1869.
J. PLUMMER PRESCOTT,		
JOSEPH B. PAGE,		